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For:

FLEXIBLE MICROCHANNEL HEAT EXCHANGER

Art Unit:

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REQUEST FOR FILING DIVISIONAL APPLICATION

MAIL STOP PATENT APPLICATION COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS P.O. BOX 1450 ALEXANDRIA, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

This is a request for filing a

(X) Divisional application,

under 37 CFR 1.53(b), of pending prior application Serial No. 10/151,703 filed on May 20, 2002 for:

FLEXIBLE MICROCHANNEL HEAT EXCHANGER

CERTIFICATION UNDER 37 CFR 1.10

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Date: 10/16/2003

Signature: D. Oman

1. (X) Enclosed is a copy of the prior application, including the oath or declaration as originally filed. The attached application papers are a true copy of prior application Serial No.: 10/151,703 as originally filed on May 20, 2002, and no amendments referred to in the oath or declaration as originally filed introduced new matter. This statement is made with the knowledge that willful false statements and the like so made are punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both, under Section 1001 of Title 18 of the United States Code and that such willful false statements may jeopardize the validity of the application or any patent issuing thereon.

The copy of the papers of the prior application as filed are as follows:

- (X) 18 pages of specification including claims and abstract
- (X) 4 sheets(s) of drawings
- (X) <u>3</u> pages of declaration and power of attorney
- 2. (X) Enclosed is a replacement specification reflecting previously submitted amendments and/or additional formal amendments. No new matter is added by the changes.
- 3. () A statement (Declaration) claiming small entity status was filed in the prior application and small entity status for this application is proper and desired.
- 4. (X) Cancel in this application original claims 1-11 of the prior application before calculating the filing fee.
- 5. (X) The filing fee is calculated below:

CLAIMS AS FILED IN THE PRIOR APPLICATION, LESS ANY CLAIMS CANCELED BY AMENDMENT BELOW

a)	Basic Fee								;	\$ 770.00
b)	Independent Claims	1	_	3	=	0	_ x	\$ 86.00	=_:	\$ 0
c)	Total Claims	13		20	=	0	x	\$ 18.00	=_:	\$ 0
d)	Fee for Multiple Dependent	Claims	– s				_	\$290.00	=_	\$ 0.00_
α)	100 for Manager 2 ap					•	Total	Filing Fee		\$ 770.00
	Small Entity Status Reducing Filing Fee By Half to									\$ 385.00

- 6. (X) A check in the amount \$ 385.00 is enclosed.
- 7. (X) The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required for this application under 37 C.F.R. 1.16-1.17, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 07-2069. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.
- 8. () A petition and fee for an extension of time has been filed in the pending prior application. A copy of the petition is attached.

- 9. (X) Amend the specification by inserting before the first line the sentence:

 --This is a () continuation, (X) divisional, () continuation-in-part, of Serial Application No. 10/151,703, filed May 20, 2002.--
- 10. (X) The prior application is assigned of record to: The Board f Trustees f the University of Illinois. The assignment was recorded on July 22, 2002 on Reel 13116, Frame 0140.
- 12. (X) The inventors of the invention of the parent application, serial number 10/151,703 are Michael I. Philpott, Mark A. Shannon and John C. Selby.
- 13. () An information disclosure statement is submitted herewith.
- 14. () A preliminary amendment is enclosed herewith.
- 15. () Please delete the name(s) of ^^^ who is (are) not a (an) inventor(s) of the subject matter of the () continuing () divisional application.
- 16. (X) The power of attorney in the prior application is to:

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- (X) The power appears in the original papers in the prior application.
- (X) Address all future communications to:

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